

REMARKS

Fig. 3 has been amended to conform to the description in the specification at page 9, lines 19-22, to show Wb (maximum width of the spherical depression). No new matter has been added. Entry of the Amendment is respectfully requested.

Interview Statement:

In a telephone conference of April 15, 2004, the undersigned approved the Examiner's amendment to claims 22 and 24 as set forth in the Notice of Allowability dated April 20, 2004. Additionally, pursuant to the Examiner's suggestion, Applicants submit herewith corrected Fig. 3 showing Wb. The Examiner indicated that he was inclined to enter the amendment under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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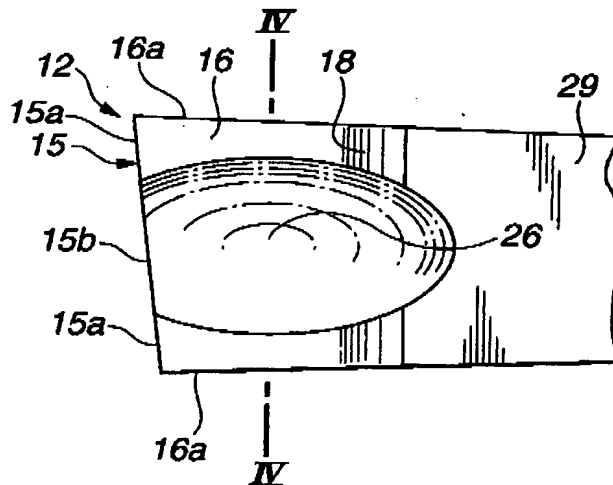
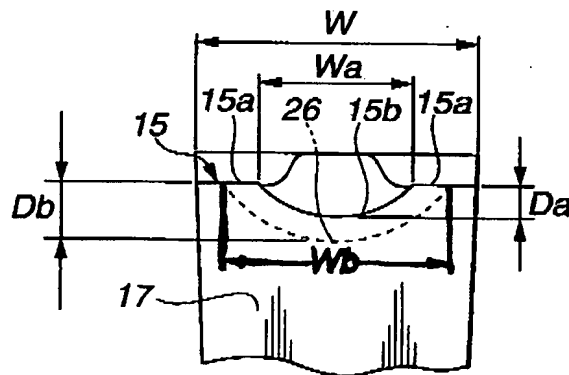


FIG.3



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